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The inspector general of the tentral intelligence Agency, Lyman Kirkpatrick, says the cloak and dagger side of CIA, the spy stories, is least essential in importance in its operation. The basic work of intelligence is the compilation, hard, painstaking and detailed research and analysis and proper interpretation of information from all sources on conditions outside the United States. Distilling this great mass of data may be drab, unglamorous work, but it is the stuff on which the highest decisions for the security of the nation is based.

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